

**City of Chesapeake  
2020 Virginia General Assembly Legislative Report  
February 7, 2020**

**Priority Legislative Requests/Initiatives**

**Pro rata reimbursement to developers for water and sewer facilities.** [Senate Bill 360 \(Cosgrove\)](#); [House Bill 1191 \(Heretick\)](#) **SB 360 passed the Senate, 39-0.**

HB 1191 **bill failed in the full CC&T Committee, 9-10.** *The legislative team is working on amendments to the Senate bill that will address concerns of House committee members.*

**Summit Pointe development incentives.** [House Bill 906 \(Hayes\)](#); [Senate Bill 163 \(Spruill\)](#) HB 906 has been referred to the House Finance Committee – Subcommittee #2. This bill was reported from the subcommittee, 5-4. **HB 906 has reported from the Full Finance Committee 14-8. SB 163 passed the Senate, 40-0.**

**Post-employment insurance benefits for employees of City Commissions.** [House Bill 1385 \(Leftwich\)](#); [Senate Bill 349 \(Lucas\)](#) On Monday, SB 349 was reported out of the Committee on Local Government, 14-0-1, with an amendment on line 23 to add the word “retired” in front of “employees.” **This bill passed the Senate, 40-0. HB 1385 reported 22-0 on Friday from CCT.**

**Amend Land Bank Entities Act to be consistent with State and Local Government Conflict of Interests Act.** [House Bill 1369 \(Leftwich\)](#) has **passed the House, 99-0.**

**Increase motorized scooter age requirement to 16.** [Senate Bill 228 \(Spruill\)](#) – Stricken by Senate Transportation Committee at request of patron.

**Note however, that a bill is moving forward that extends the time for local regulation of motorized scooters:**

**Local regulation of certain transportation companies.** [House Bill 465 \(Kearney\)](#) - Extends from January 1, 2020, to October 1, 2020, the prohibition on offering motorized skateboards or scooters, bicycles, or electric power-assisted bicycles for hire in any locality that has not enacted any licensing ordinance, regulation, or other action regulating such business. The bill clarifies that localities are authorized to create or amend such ordinances, regulations, or actions even after any such business is operating in the locality and exercise authority otherwise authorized by law. The bill contains an emergency clause. **HB 465 has passed the House, 93-5.**

**Bill to limit local zoning authority over freestanding medical facilities defeated in Senate Local Government Committee:**

[SB 1037](#) Provides that no ordinance of a city whose governing body appoints all of the members of a hospital authority shall require that a special exception, special use, or conditional use permit be obtained for the development and construction of a freestanding medical facility on property where such use is permitted by right under the local zoning ordinance. **This bill was passed by indefinitely in the full Local Government Committee, 12-3.**

**City Budget Priorities Included in Introduced Budget**

**Fentress Development Encroachment Mitigation Funds**

- Current proposed budget [maintains](#) original \$1.7 million for encroachment mitigation activities in the vicinity of Naval Auxiliary Landing Field Fentress.
- Current proposed budget [redirects](#) an additional \$250,000 in balances in the encroachment mitigation program to encroachment mitigation activities around Fentress.

**State Funding for City Jail Expansion**

- Current proposed budget [maintains](#) the state reimbursement of eligible project costs for the Chesapeake City Jail to the tune of \$6,860,886.

**Behavioral Health Funds**

- Current proposed budget [designates](#) \$68,490,045 from the general fund the second year for services by Community Services Boards and Behavioral Health Authorities pursuant to the STEP-VA process.

**Other Legislative Priorities**

**Retired Law Enforcement Officers Serving as School Security Officers – VRS Benefits.** [Senate Bill 54 \(Cosgrove\)](#); [House Bill 986 \(Batten\)](#). SB 54 has been referred to the Committee on Finance and Appropriations, and was reported out, 15-0, with an amendment (break in service of 1 year instead of 60 days). **This bill passed the Senate, 40-0.** HB 986 has been referred to the Committee on Appropriations – Compensation & General Government Sub-Committee and was incorporated into HB 1495.

**Virginia Retirement System; retired law-enforcement officers employed as school resource officers or school security officers** [House Bill 1493 \(Helmer\)](#); [House Bill 1495 \(Torian\)](#) Both bills were referred to the Committee on Appropriations – Compensation & General Government Sub-Committee. HB 1493 was incorporated into HB 1495. **HB 1495 passed the House, 98-1.**

**Skills games as gambling devices.** [House Bill 881 \(Bulova\)](#); [Senate Bill 908 \(Norment\)](#) HB 881 has been referred to the Committee on General Laws – ABC/Gaming Sub-Committee, **and passed the House, 80-15.** SB 908 has been referred to the Committee on General Laws and Technology – Gaming Sub-Committee and was incorporated into SB 971.

[SB 971 \(Howell\)](#) Authorizes the manufacture, distribution, owning, hosting, and playing of electronic gaming devices in the Commonwealth, to be regulated by the Virginia Lottery Board. This bill has been reported from General Laws and Technology, 13-1 and has also reported from Finance and Appropriations, 14-2.

**Traffic Incident Management Vehicles.** [Senate Bill 644 \(Boysko\); House Bill 983 \(Delaney\)](#) HB 983 **passed the House, 97-1.** SB 644 was referred to the Committee on Transportation and **failed to report, 6-9.**

### **Firearms Bills Advancing in Senate**

**[SB 35](#) Firearms, etc.; permitted events.** Authorizes local ordinance to prohibit firearms in public buildings and in public spaces during a permitted event – **PASSED the Senate, 21-19**

**[SB 69](#) Handguns; limitation on purchases, penalty.** Limits purchase of handguns to one per month – **PASSED the Senate, 21- 19**

**[SB 70](#) Firearm transfers; criminal history record information check, penalty.** Requires background checks for firearms sales; exempts certain other transfers – **PASSED the Senate, 23-17**

**[SB 240](#) Firearms; removal from persons posing substantial risk of injury to himself, etc., penalties.** Creates an emergency substantial risk order to prohibit certain persons from purchasing, possessing or transferring firearms (a.k.a. “Red Flag Law). – **PASSED the Senate, 21-19**

**[SB 479](#) Protective orders; possession of firearms; surrender or transfer of firearms; penalty.** Prohibits any person subject to a permanent protective order from knowingly possessing a firearm while the order is in effect. – **PASSED the Senate, 23-17**

### **Firearms Bills Advancing in House**

**[HB 2](#) Firearm transfers; criminal history record information checks; penalty.** Requires a background check for any firearm transfer – **PASSED the House, 54-46**

**[HB 9](#) Reporting lost or stolen firearms; civil penalty.** Requires a lost or stolen firearm to be reported within 24 hours or face a penalty of not more than \$250. – **PASSED the House, 55-44**

**[HB 421](#) Control of firearms by localities.** Grants localities authority to adopt or enforce an ordinance, resolution, or motion governing the possession, carrying, storage, or transporting of firearms, ammunition, or components or combination thereof in the locality. – **PASSED the House, 50-48**

**[HB 674](#) Firearms; removal from persons posing substantial risk; penalties.** Creates an emergency substantial risk order to prohibit certain persons from purchasing, possessing or transferring firearms (a.k.a. “Red Flag Law). – **PASSED the House, 52-46**

**[HB 812](#) Purchase of handguns; limitation on handgun purchases; penalty.** Limits purchase of handguns to one per month – **PASSED the House, 53-47**

**[HB 1004](#) Protective orders; possession of firearms; surrender or transfer of firearms; penalty.** – Prohibits any person subject to a permanent protective order from knowingly possessing a firearm while the order is in effect. – **PASSED the House, 58-42**

**[HB 1083](#) Allowing access to firearms by minors; penalty.** Provides that any person who recklessly leaves a loaded, unsecured firearm in such a manner as to endanger the life or limb of any person under the age of 18 is guilty of a Class 6 felony – **PASSED the House, 54-46**

**\*All of these House bills have been referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.**

### **Other Relevant Legislation**

#### **National Compact**

**[HB 199 \(Price\)](#)** Presidential electors; National Popular Vote Compact. – **incorporated into HB 177**  
**[HB 177 \(Levine\)](#)** Presidential electors; National Popular Vote Compact. – **failed to report in Privileges and Elections, 10-12**

**[SB 399](#)** Presidential electors; National Popular Vote Compact. – **stricken at the request of the patron, 11-0**

**[SB 174 \(Chase\)](#)** Electoral college; allocation of electoral votes. – **passed by indefinitely**

#### **Wages**

**[HB 325](#)** Minimum wage; local alternative minimum wage. Still in House L&C Subcommittee

**[HB 1302](#)** Deputy sheriffs; minimum salary. Left in House CCT subcommittee

#### **Collective Bargaining**

**[HB 582](#)** Collective bargaining for public employees. – **PASSED the House, 54-45.**

**[SB 939](#)** Labor and employment; collective bargaining; employees of counties, cities, and towns. – **incorporates SB 1022 (Boysko); reported from Commerce and Labor with a substitute, 11-3; reported from Finance and Appropriations, 11-5. Note: SB 939 is OPTIONAL for localities, while HB 582 is MANDATORY**

## **Fair Share Fees**

[SB 426](#) Agreements between private employer and labor or organization; fair share fees. – still in Senate Commerce and Labor Committee

## **Prevailing Wage**

[HB 114](#) Prevailing wage; public works contracts, penalty. – incorporated into [HB 833](#)

[HB 833](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; public works contracts, prevailing wage rate, penalty. – reported from [Labor and Commerce, 13-9](#)

[HB 1203](#) Prevailing wage; public works contracts with localities, penalty. – failed to report in [Labor and Commerce, 9-9](#)

[SB 8](#) Prevailing wage; public works contracts, penalty. – reported from [Labor and Commerce, 9-3](#); reported from [Finance and Appropriations, 11-5](#)

[SB 180](#) Prevailing wage; public works contracts, penalty. – stricken at request of patron

## **Project Labor Agreements and Wage Agreements**

[HB 122](#) Project labor agreements; public procurement. – incorporated into [HB 358](#)

[HB 1202](#) Project labor agreements; public procurement by local governments. – incorporated into [HB 358](#)

[HB 1203](#) Prevailing wage; public works contracts with localities, penalty. – failed to report in [Labor and Commerce, 9-9](#)

[HB 1311](#) Project labor agreements; public procurement. – incorporated into [HB 358](#)

[HB 358](#) Project labor agreements; public procurement. – PASSED the House, 54-44

[SB 182](#) Project labor agreements; public procurement. – reported from [Commerce and Labor, 12-2](#); reported from [Finance and Appropriations, 12-4](#)

## **Voting & Elections**

### **Absentee Voting**

[HB 1](#) Absentee voting; no excuse required. – PASSED the House, 65-35; referred to Senate P&E

[HB 18](#) Absentee voting; no-excuse, in-person voting, applicability date. – sub recommended laying on table

[HB 25](#) Absentee voting; no excuse required. – House incorporated into [HB 1](#)

[HB 207](#) Absentee voting; no excuse required, permanent absentee voter list. – PASSED the House, 54-46; referred to Senate P&E

[HB 209](#) Absentee voting; no excuse required. – House incorporated into [HB 1](#)

[SB 46](#) Absentee voting; application form contents. – PASSED the Senate, 33-7

[SB 111](#) Absentee voting; no excuse required. – PASSED the Senate, 31-9

[SB 455](#) Absentee voting; counting military and overseas absentee ballots received after close of polls. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

## **Voter ID**

[HB 19](#) Voter identification; repeal of photo identification requirements. – **sub recommends reporting**

[HB 190](#) Voter identification; repeal of photo identification requirements, additional forms. – **sub recommends incorporating into HB 19**

[HB 213](#) Voter identification; accepted forms of identification, out-of-state student identification card. – **sub recommends reporting**

[HB 878](#) Voter identification; signed statement in lieu of required form of identification, penalty. – **sub recommends incorporating into HB 19**

[SB 65](#) Voter identification; repeal of photo identification requirements. – **PASSED the Senate, 21-19**

[SB 113](#) Voter identification; repeal of photo identification requirements. – **incorporated into SB 65**

[SB 123](#) Voter identification; expiration date of Virginia driver's license not considered. – **incorporated into SB 65**

## **Other**

[HB 57](#) Elections; date of June primary election. – **PASSED the House, 90-10; rereferred to Senate P&E**

[SB 316](#) Elections; date of June primary election. – **PASSED the Senate, 24-16; rereferred to Senate P&E**

[SB 555](#) Voting; restrictions on the basis of race. – **PASSED the Senate, 40-0**

## **Employment**

[HB 67](#) Strikes by certain government employees; limits to law-enforcement officers. – **stricken from the docket by Labor and Commerce**

[HB 140](#) Public employment; limitations on inquiries by state agencies and localities regarding arrests. – **incorporated into HB 757**

[HB 153](#) Right to work; repeals provisions of Code that refers to denial or abridgement. – **reported from Labor and Commerce; referred to Appropriations**

[HB 757](#) Public employment; limitations on inquiries by state agencies and localities regarding criminal arrests, charges, or convictions. – **PASSED the House, 59-39; referred to Senate General Laws and Tech**

[HB 842](#) Removal of public officers; petition requirements, signature requirements. – **failed in sub-committee, 2-3**

## **FOIA**

[HB 313](#) Virginia Freedom of Information Act; library records. – **PASSED the House, 98-0; referred to Senate General Laws and Tech**

[SB 138](#) Virginia Freedom of Information Act; FOIA officers, training and reporting requirements. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

[SB 139](#) Freedom of Information Advisory Act; training requirements. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

[SB 140](#) FOIA; public higher educational institutions, information related to pledges and donations. – PASSED the Senate, 38-2

[SB 259](#) Virginia Freedom of Information Act; library records. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

## **Transportation**

[HB 1414](#) Transportation; amends numerous laws related to funds, safety programs, revenue sources, etc. – reported from Transportation, 13-8; reported from Finance, 14-9; reported from Appropriations, 14-3

## **Jails**

[SB 189](#) Jails, local; compensation for cost of incarceration of convicted felons. – PASSED the Senate, 39-0

[SB 215](#) Inmates; review of death in local correctional facilities, report. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

[SB 507](#) Local correctional facilities; appeals of noncompliance determinations. – stricken at request of patron

[SB 622](#) Corrections, State Board of; renamed as State Board of Local and Regional Jails, powers and duties. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

## **Solar**

[HB 655](#) Solar photovoltaic projects; conditional zoning. – PASSED the House, 99-0

[HB 656](#) Solar energy projects; national standards. – reported from Labor and Commerce, 22-0

[HB 657](#) Comprehensive plan; solar facilities review. – reported from Labor and Commerce, 18-4

[HB 1131](#) Solar energy projects; revenue share assessment. – reported from Finance, 13-9

[HB 1171](#) Solar farms; annual report of acreage, report. – continued to 2021

[HB 1184](#) Distributed energy generation – reported from Labor and Commerce, 13-9

[HB 1434](#) Local tax; exemption for solar energy equipment. – reported from Finance, 13-9

[SB 870](#) Solar photovoltaic projects; conditional zoning. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

[SB 875](#) Solar energy projects; national standards. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

[SB 762](#) Solar energy projects; revenue share assessment. – reported from Finance and Appropriations, 16-0

[SB 800](#) Real property tax exemption for certified pollution control equipment and facilities.

[SB 893](#) Comprehensive plan; solar facilities review. – passed by indefinitely in Local Government, 15-0

## **Worker's Compensation**

[HB 52](#) Workers' compensation; occupational disease presumption, emergency medical technicians. – **sub recommended striking, 6-0**

[HB 169](#) Workers' compensation; occupational disease presumption, correctional officers. – **PASSED the House, 96-3**

[HB 438](#) Workers' compensation; post-traumatic stress disorder, law-enforcement officers and firefighters. – **reported from Labor and Commerce, 19-3; referred to Appropriations**

[HB 649](#) Workers' compensation; occupational disease presumption, police dispatchers. – **sub recommends laying on table, 6-1**

[HB 783](#) Workers' compensation; presumption of compensability for certain diseases. – **PASSED the House 99-0**

[SB 9](#) Workers' compensation; presumption of compensability for certain diseases. – **PASSED the Senate, 40-0**

## **Broadband**

[HB 70](#) Broadband services; prohibited features. – **sub recommends laying on the table, 6-0**

[HB 1068](#) Broadband service; prescriptive easements. – **sub recommends striking from docket, 10-0**

[HB 1242](#) Broadband service; authority of localities to provide. – **sub recommends striking, 7-0**

[HB 1376](#) Virginia Wireless Service Authority Act; appointments to board. – **PASSED the House, 99-0; referred to Senate Commerce and Labor**

[HB 831](#) Utility easements; location of broadband and other communications facilities. – **reported from Communications, Tech, and Innovation, 18-3; reported from Labor and Commerce, 21-1**

[HB 979](#) Utility easements; pole attachments. – **sub recommends laying on the table, 9-0**

[HB 1052](#) Telecommunications services; provision by local governments. – **continued to 2021**

[SB 302](#) Utility easements; fiber optic cable. – **incorporated into SB 794**

[SB 539](#) Utility easements; broadband or other communications services. – **incorporated into SB 794**

[SB 794](#) Utility easements; location of broadband facilities. – **PASSED the Senate, 40-0**

## **Land Use/Zoning**

[HB 147](#) Housing authorities; housing research and studies. – **sub recommends laying on the table**

[HB 148](#) Housing; notice of educational opportunities for homeowners. – **sub recommends continuing to 2021**

[HB 149](#) Housing & Community Development, Dept of; barriers to use of state & federal housing funds, report. – **sub recommends laying on the table**

[HB 150](#) Derelict residential buildings; civil penalty. – **PASSED the House, 59-40; referred to Senate Local Gov**

[HB 166](#) Hearing notice by localities; timely notice related to planning or zoning matter to newspaper, etc. – **PASSED the House, 73-25; referred to Senate Local Gov**

[HB 206](#) Electric utility regulation; retail customer choice. – sub recommends striking from docket

[HB 284](#) Removal of dangerous roadside conditions; local option. – PASSED the House, 84-15

[HB 296](#) Towns; transition to cities. – sub recommends striking from docket

[HB 413](#) Subdivision ordinance; energy efficiency and renewable energy provisions. – sub recommends laying on the table

[HB 505](#) Zoning appeals, board of; writ of certiorari. – PASSED the House, 100-0; referred to Senate Local Gov

[HB 545](#) Inclusionary housing; zoning. – stricken from House calendar

[HB 632](#) Zoning; development approvals. – PASSED the House, 100-0; referred to Senate Local Gov

[HB 655](#) Solar photovoltaic projects; conditional zoning. – PASSED the House, 99-0

[HB 657](#) Comprehensive plan; solar facilities review. – reported from Labor and Commerce, 18-4

[HB 1005](#) Uniform Statewide Building Code; exceptions, provisions, and modifications. – stricken from the docket

[HB 549](#) Overgrown vegetation; local authority. – PASSED the House, 72-26; referred to Senate Local Gov

[HB 1045](#) Tree-replacement ordinance; banking. – continued to 2021

[HB 585](#) Comprehensive plan; localities to promote transit-oriented development. – PASSED the House, 55-45; referred to Senate Local Gov

[HB 726](#) Comprehensive plan; extends time for approval by locality. – PASSED the House, 99-0

[HB 554](#) Zoning; wireless communications infrastructure. – PASSED the House, 99-0

[SB 180](#) Prevailing wage; public works contracts, penalty. – stricken at request of patron

[SB 340](#) Overgrown vegetation; local authority. – PASSED Senate, 33-7

[SB 589](#) Zoning administrators; notice of decisions and determinations. – PASSED the Senate, 39-0

[SB 647](#) Zoning; development approvals. – PASSED the Senate, 38-0

[SB 778](#) Extension of approvals to address housing crisis. – stricken at request of patron

[SB 797](#) Uniform Statewide Building Code; exceptions, provisions, and modifications. – stricken at request of patron

## **Eminent Domain**

[SB 28](#) Eminent domain; eliminates specific provisions for assessment of costs in certain proceedings. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

[SB 31](#) Eminent domain; costs for petition for distribution of funds, interest rate. – reported from Judiciary, 14-0; reported from Finance and Appropriations, 16-0

## **Buildings**

[HB 106](#) Numbering on buildings; civil penalty. – PASSED the House, 100-0; referred to Senate Local Gov

[SB 333](#) Uniform Statewide Building Code; security locking mechanisms. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0; referred to House General Laws

[SB 341](#) Construction management and design-build contracting; use by state and local public bodies. – PASSED the Senate, 36-4; referred to House General laws

## Other

[HB 672](#) State, regional, and local planning; climate change. – PASSED the House, 55-44

[HB 929](#) Subdivision plats; certain approved final plats shall remain valid indefinitely, etc. – PASSED the House, 99-0

[SB 353](#) Outdoor shooting ranges; prohibited adjacent to residential areas, exceptions, civil penalty. – continued to 2021

[SB 314](#) Grandfathering certain nonconforming use; removes certain requirement. – PASSED the Senate, 36-3-1

## Public Utilities

[HB 835](#) Utility Transfers Act; water and sewer utilities, sales of assets. – PASSED the House, 99-0; referred to Senate Commerce and Labor

[SB 826](#) Water and sewer service charges; tenant or lessee. – PASSED the Senate, 38-2

## Local Taxation

[HB 534](#) Disposable plastic bag; local tax. – reported from AC&N, 13-9

[SB 143](#) Disabled veterans and surviving spouses; state subsidy of property tax exemptions. – continued to 2021 in Finance and Appropriations

## Housing

[HB 3](#) Va. Fair Housing Law; unlawful discriminatory housing practices, sexual orientation and gender, etc. – incorporated by GL - HB 1663

[HB 6](#) Virginia Fair Housing Law; unlawful discriminatory housing practices. – reported from General Laws, 13-8

[HB 7](#) Virginia Fair Housing Law; unlawful discriminatory housing practices. – PASSED the House, 71-28

[HB 23](#) Public employment and housing; prohibited discrimination, sexual orientation or gender identity. – incorporated by GL - HB 1663

[HB 99](#) Va. Fair Housing Law; unlawful discriminatory housing practices, status as a victim of family abuse. – reported from General Laws, 21-1

[HB 217](#) Va. Fair Housing Law; unlawful discriminatory housing practices, sexual orientation and gender, etc. – incorporated by GL - HB 1663

[HB 357](#) Virginia Fair Housing Law; unlawful discriminatory housing practices. – incorporated into HB 6

[HB 1663](#) Prohibited discrimination; public accommodations, employment, credit, and housing: causes of action; sexual orientation and gender identity – PASSED the House, 59-35

[SB 66](#) Va. Fair Housing Law; unlawful discriminatory housing practices, sexual orientation and gender, etc. – **incorporated by GL – SB 868**

[SB 97](#) Virginia Fair Housing Law; unlawful discriminatory housing practices. – **reported from GL, 14-0; reported from Finance and Appropriations, 16-0**

### **Affordable Housing**

[HB 151](#) Accessory dwelling units; development and use. – **sub recommends laying on table, 6-1**

[HB 152](#) Single-family residential use; middle housing allowed on lots zoned for units. – **sub recommends laying on table, 6-0**

[HB 1101](#) Affordable housing; certain localities allowed to adopt dwelling unit ordinances. – **PASSED the House, 86-13**

[SB 834](#) Affordable housing dwelling unit ordinances. – **PASSED the Senate, 27-12; referred to House CC&T**

### **Public Safety**

#### **Unmanned Aerial System**

[HB 311](#) Unmanned aerial systems; local regulation. – **incorporated into HB742**

[HB 742](#) Local regulation of unmanned aerial systems. – **PASSED the House, 99-0; referred to Senate Local Gov**

[HB 1227](#) Unmanned aerial systems; local regulation. – **incorporated into HB742**

[HB 118](#) Trespass with an unmanned aircraft system; local or state correctional facilities, penalty.

#### **Handheld Devices**

[HB 377](#) Handheld personal communications devices; holding devices while driving a motor vehicle. – **sub recommends incorporating into HB 874**

[HB 387](#) Handheld personal communications devices; use in school zones and school property, penalty. – **sub recommends incorporating into HB 874**

[HB 512](#) Handheld personal communications devices; holding devices while driving a motor vehicle. – **sub recommends incorporating into HB 874**

[HB 874](#) Holding handheld personal communications devices while driving a motor vehicle. – **PASSED the House, 72-24**

[SB 136](#) Handheld personal communications devices; holding devices while driving a motor vehicle. – **incorporated into SB 160**

[SB 160](#) Holding handheld personal communications devices while driving a motor vehicle. – **PASSED the Senate, 33-7**

#### **Other Offenses**

[HB 1006](#) Human trafficking; assessments by local departments. – **PASSED the House, 99-0; referred to Senate Rehab and SS**

[HB 1213](#) Summonses; authority of local government employees to issue for violations of local ordinances. – PASSED the House, 99-0

[SB 55](#) Sex offenders in emergency shelters; notification, penalty. – STRICKEN

## **Security**

[SB 149](#) Courthouse and courtroom security; assessment. –PASSED the Senate, 31-9

## **Other**

[HB 662](#) Local grievance procedure; incorporates certain provisions. – sub recommends laying on the table, 4-3

[SB 183](#) War veterans; removal, relocation, or altering of monuments. – reported from Local Gov, 8-7

[HJ 20](#) Composite index of local ability to pay; JLARC to study feasibility of adjusting, etc. – sub recommends laying on the table, 6-0

[SJ 18](#) Constitutional amendment; Virginia Redistricting Commission (second reference). – reported from P&E, 13-1; reported from Finance and Appropriations, 15-1

[SB 645](#) Local arbitration agreements; disclosure of certain information. – PASSED the Senate, 21-19

## **Public Procurement**

### **Architects and Engineers**

[SB 368](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; architectural and professional engineering term contracts. – PASSED the Senate, 39-1

[SB 487](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; architectural and professional engineering term contracts. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

### **Construction**

[HB 84](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; proposals to public higher educational institutions, disclosure. – sub recommends continuing to 2021

[HB 359](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; consideration of best value concepts for construction services. – failed in sub, 3-4

[HB 467](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; cooperative procurement, construction. – sub recommends laying on the table, 8-0

[SB 418](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; cooperative procurement, construction. – passed by indefinitely, 9-4-1

[HB 890](#) Construction management and design-build contracting; use by local public bodies. – PASSED the House, 94-5

[SB 341](#) Construction management and design-build contracting; use by state and local public bodies. – PASSED the Senate, 36-4

[HB 1099](#) Rail construction or design; exempts high-risk contracts from required review. – reported from sub, 6-0; reported from Appropriations, 18-0

[HB 1243](#) Public-Private Transportation Act of 1995; affected local jurisdictions and public entities. – sub recommends continuing to 2021

[SB 475](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; use of best value contracting. – passed by indefinitely, 15-0

### **Minority and Small Business**

[HB 124](#) Virginia Minority Business Commission; established, report, sunset provision. – sub recommends continuing to 2021

[HB 558](#) Micro-business; enhancement of participation in local procurement. – PASSED the House, 99-0

[HB 1134](#) Small Business and Supplier Diversity, Department of; redefines small business. – reported from General Laws, 19-2

### **Small Purchases**

[HB 452](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; small purchases. – PASSED the House, 99-0

[SB 650](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; small purchases. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

### **IT Contracts**

[HB 133](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; professional and information technology project services contracts. – sub recommends striking from docket, 11-0

[HB 680](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; information technology project services contracts, behind schedule. – sub recommends laying on the table, 6-2

[HB 685](#) Va Public Procurement Act; preference for contractors using automatic billing verification software.

### **Statute of Limitations**

[SB 195](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; statute of limitations on actions on construction contracts. – incorporated into SB 607

[SB 607](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; statute of limitations on actions on construction contracts. – reported from Judiciary, 13-0

[HB 847](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; statute of limitations on actions on construction contracts. – incorporated into HB 1300

[HB 1300](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; statute of limitations on actions on construction contracts. – reported from Courts of Justice, 22-0

### **Other Bills**

[HB 407](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; failure to pay unemployment taxes. – sub recommends striking from docket, 8-0

[HB 446](#) DGS; disposition of surplus materials, donation of surplus computers. – PASSED the House, 98-0; referred to Senate General Laws and Tech

[HB 454](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; purchase programs for recycled goods, climate positive materials. – reported from General Laws, 18-3

[HB 1078](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; process for competitive negotiation, etc. – PASSED the House, 55-43

[HB 1201](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; determination of nonresponsibility, local option. – reported from General Laws, 15-6

[HB 1398](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; historic landmarks, preference for goods and services. – sub recommends laying on the table, 8-0

[HB 1488](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; definitions; best value; clarification. – failed in sub, 3-4

[SB 369](#) DGS; guidance to state public bodies regarding purchases of materials made in the United States. – defeated in General Laws

[SB 563](#) Central electronic procurement system; public posting of contract information. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

[SB 627](#) Contractors to subcontractors; prompt payment. – continued to 2021 in Gen Laws and Tech, 14-0

[SB 380](#) Virginia Public Procurement Act; determination of nonresponsibility, local option. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

## Public Education

[HB 8](#) Disorderly conduct in public places; school activities. – incorporated into HB 256

[HB 12](#) Education, Department of; discrimination against students, investigation & resolution of complaints. - sub recommends striking from docket

[HB 15](#) Public school buses; seat belts. – reported from Education, 17-4; referred to Appropriations

[HB 35](#) Juvenile offenders; eligibility for parole. – PASSED the House; referred to Senate Rehabilitation and SS

[HB 40](#) Public schools; mental health break spaces, regulations. – continued to 2021 Education

[HB 49](#) Students with disabilities, certain; feasibility of educational placement transition. – sub recommends continuing to 2021

[HB 64](#) Child's school activities; employers to allow parental leave for activities. – tabled in Labor and Commerce

[HB 86](#) Standards of Quality; local match for basic aid, debt service on projects in school divisions. – failed in the sub, 3-5

[HB 107](#) Human Resources Management, Department of; health insurance for local school board employees. – reported from General Laws, 20-0; referred to Appropriations

[HB 109](#) Public elementary and secondary school students; suspension and expulsion, sufficient cause. – sub recommends continuing to 2021

[HB 134](#) Individualized education program teams; Department of Education to develop guidelines. – PASSED the House, 96-2

[HB 145](#) Public elementary and secondary schools; treatment of transgender students, policies. – PASSED the House, 62-36; referred to Senate Education and Health

[HB 158](#) Income tax, state; deduction for primary and secondary school tuition or home instruction expenses. - sub failed to recommend reporting, 4-4

[HB 197](#) Financial literacy objectives; DOE to determine feasibility of incorporating into mathematics SOL. – sub failed to report, 3-5

[HB 226](#) Students who receive home instruction; participation in interscholastic programs. – sub recommends passing by indefinitely, 4-3

[HB 231](#) Children with disabilities; alternative placements, state funds.

[HB 270](#) Public schools; lock-down drills, notice to parents. – PASSED the House, 97-0; referred to Senate Education and Health

[HB 271](#) Public schools; school resource officers and school security officers, data. – PASSED the House, 95-4

[HB 289](#) Child abuse; interviews. – sub recommends striking from docket, 8-0

[HB 292](#) School boards and local law-enforcement agencies; memorandums of understanding, frequency of review. – PASSED the House, 88-11

[HB 308](#) Public elementary and secondary school students; excused absences, mental and behavioral health. – PASSED the House, 60-38

[HB 327](#) Public employees; collective bargaining. – incorporated HB 582

[HB 328](#) Family and Medical Leave Insurance Program; funding by employee and employer taxes. – reported from Labor and Commerce, 12-9; referred to Appropriations

[HB 332](#) Reading diagnostic tests; intervention. – reported from Education, 20-0; referred to Appropriations

[HB 350](#) Best interests of the child; frequent and continuing contact with each parent. – sub recommends striking from docket, 7-0

[HB 351](#) School bus drivers; critical shortages. – reported from Education, 22-0; reported from Appropriations, 18-0

[HB 352](#) Virginia Fusion Intelligence Center; school safety mobile application. – sub recommends laying on the table, 5-1

[HB 361](#) Family caregiver; tax credit. – reported from Finance, 18-3; Appropriations sub recommends laying on the table, 6-2

[HB 365](#) Public elementary & secondary school teachers; probationary term of service, performance evaluation. – PASSED the House, 70-28

[HB 368](#) Public schools; enrollment, certain children placed in foster care. – reported from Education, 21-0; reported from Appropriations, 21-0

[HB 376](#) Teacher and support staff shortages; data, reporting. – reported from Education, 17-4; reported from Appropriations, 16-2

[HB 387](#) Handheld personal communications devices; use in school zones and school property, penalty. – sub recommends incorporating HB 874

[HB 1091](#) Income tax, state; subtraction for public school teacher salaries. – sub recommends striking from docket, 9-0

[HB 1110](#) Standards of Learning; history and social science, diverse people. – sub recommends incorporating HB 916

[HB 1114](#) School principals; incident reports. – stricken from docket, 19-0

[HB 1122](#) Public schools; electives on the Hebrew Scriptures/Old Testament and the New Testament. – **sub recommends laying on the table, 5-3**

[HB 1123](#) High school graduation requirements; certain substitutions. – **sub recommends continuing to 2021**

[HB 1135](#) School resource officers; memorandums of understanding. – **incorporated HB 292**

[HB 1139](#) English language learner students; guidance, information, programs, and policies. – **reported from Education, 18-3**

[HB 1140](#) Clean School Bus Grant Fund and Program; created and established. – **reported from Labor and Commerce, 18-3; referred to Appropriations**

[HB 1143](#) Local school boards; support services positions, licensed behavior analysts. – **reported from Education, 18-2; referred to Appropriations**

[HB 1169](#) Public elementary and secondary school teachers; probationary term of service. – **incorporated into HB 365**

[HB 1174](#) Public schools; possession of undesignated stock albuterol inhalers, administration. – **PASSED the House, 99-0**

[HB 1177](#) School board policies; homework assignments, Internet connection. – **failed to report in Education, 9-10**

[HB 1208](#) School boards; duties, assistance with student bus pass applications. – **PASSED the House, 99-0**

[HB 1274](#) School Construction Fund and Program; created and established. – **sub recommends laying on the table**

[HB 1276](#) School boards; career and technical education, academic and career plans, contents. – **reported from Education, 21-0**

[HB 1277](#) Public schools; Standards of Learning assessments. – **sub recommends continuing to 2021**

[HB 1294](#) English language learner students, certain; removal from certain calculations. – **sub recommends striking from the docket**

[HB 1301](#) Children's Ombudsman, Office of the; established. – **reported from General Laws, 19-0; referred to Appropriations**

[HB 1316](#) Standards of Quality; work-based learning, teacher leaders and mentors, principal mentors. – **reported from Education, 18-3; referred to Appropriations**

[HB 1323](#) Instructional positions; students identified as having limited English proficiency. – **incorporated into HB 975**

[HB 1326](#) Teachers; placed on probation, notice of dismissal. – **incorporated into HB 365**

[HB 1336](#) Family life education; SOL & curriculum guidelines, contemporary community standards. – **PASSED the House, 99-0; referred to Senate Education and Health**

[HB 1344](#) Teacher licensure; written reprimand, suspension. – **PASSED the House, 99-0**

[HB 1355](#) Community Schools Planning Fund; created, community programs and services to students. – **reported from Education, 13-9; reported from Appropriations, 14-4**

[HB 1368](#) Virginia Retirement System; retired law-enforcement officers employed as school security officers. – **incorporated into 1495**

[HB 1381](#) Special education; due process hearings, nonattorney representatives. – **sub recommends continuing to 2021**

[HB 1388](#) Public school accreditation; triennial review. – **reported from Education, 21-0**

[HB 1394](#) Family life education programs; materials, summaries. – PASSED the House, 76-23; referred to Senate Education and Health

[HB 1400](#) High school graduation requirements; English as a second language courses. – sub recommends continuing to 2021

[HB 1415](#) School library clerical personnel; ratios of positions to students. – sub recommends striking from docket, 8-0

[HB 1419](#) School resource officers and school security officers; training standards. – reported from Education, 20-1

[HB 1432](#) Certain early childhood care and education programs; parents of enrolled children; car seats. – reported from Health, Welfare, and Institutions, 16-5

[HB 1443](#) Department of Education; annual teacher compensation review; report. – reported from Education, 20-2

[HB 1446](#) Certain school boards; school buildings; assessment; compliance. – sub recommends striking from docket, 8-0

[HB 1465](#) Naloxone; possession and administration; employee or person acting on behalf of a public place. – incorporated into HB 908

[HB 1466](#) Naloxone; possession and administration. – incorporated into HB 908

[HJ 20](#) Composite index of local ability to pay; JLARC to study feasibility of adjusting, etc. – sub recommends laying on the table, 6-0

[SB 4](#) Public School Assistance Fund and Program; created. – reported from Education and Health, 15-0; reported from Finance and Appropriations, 15-0

[SB 5](#) Board of Education; uniform minimum standards modern; public school buildings.- reported from Education and Health, 14-0-1; reported from Finance and Appropriations, 15-0

[SB 6](#) Voter referendum; issuance of state general obligation bonds for school facility modernization. – passed by indefinitely, 11-5

[SB 23](#) Employment and public accommodation; prohibited discrimination, sexual orientation/gender identity. – stricken at request of patron

[SB 41](#) Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children, Va. Council on; membership.

[SB 44](#) Public elementary and secondary school students; use of topical sunscreen, etc. – PASSED the Senate, 39-0

[SB 47](#) Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children, Va. Council on the; membership.

[SB 54](#) Virginia Retirement System; retired law-enforcement officers employed as school security officers. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

[SB 59](#) Juvenile law-enforcement records; disclosures to school principals. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

[SB 71](#) Firearms; possession on school property. – reported from Judiciary, 9-6

[SB 80](#) Student journalists; freedom of speech and the press. – continued to 2021 Education and Health

[SB 98](#) Public elementary & secondary school teachers; probationary term of service, performance evaluation. - PASSED the Senate, 25-15; referred to Senate Education

[SB 103](#) Juvenile offenders; parole. – PASSED the Senate, 29-10

[SB 112](#) Public schools; standard diploma requirements, dual-enrollment and work-based learning options. – PASSED the Senate, 39-0

[SB 128](#) DOE; pilot program, placement transition of certain students. – continued to 2021 in Finance and Appropriations

[SB 129](#) Public schools; firearm safety education program. – stricken at request of patron

[SB 132](#) Public schools; electives on the Hebrew Scriptures/Old Testament and the New Testament. – passed by indefinitely, 8-6

[SB 134](#) School boards; planning time and planning periods for elementary school teachers. – reported from Education and Health, 9-6; reported from Finance and Appropriations 13-0-1

[SB 135](#) Children's Services Act; special education programs. – continued to 2021 in Finance and Appropriations

[SB 142](#) Virtual Virginia; availability to all public schools. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

[SB 151](#) School personnel; staffing ratios, school nurses. – passed by indefinitely in Education and Health, 14-0

[SB 156](#) Fostering Futures program; established. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

[SB 161](#) Public elementary and secondary schools; treatment of transgender students, policies. – PASSED the Senate, 23-16

[SB 163](#) Entitlement to sales tax revenues from certain public facilities; authorized localities. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

[SB 167](#) Teachers, public school; unsatisfactory performance evaluations, grounds for dismissal. - PASSED the Senate, 23-17; referred to House Education

[SB 170](#) Public schools; school resource officers and school security officers, data. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

[SB 171](#) School resource officers and school security officers; training standards. – PASSED the Senate, 39-1

[SB 173](#) Stun weapons; prohibits possession on school property, exempts holder of concealed handgun permit. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0; referred to House Public Safety

[SB 176](#) School holidays; certain election days. – failed to report in Education and Health, 14-1

[SB 178](#) Kinship Guardianship Assistance program; expands eligibility, fictive kin. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

[SB 186](#) Individualized education program teams; Dept. of Education to develop guidelines. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

[SB 190](#) Children's Services Act; community policy and management teams; use of funds. – continued to 2021 Finance and Appropriations

[SB 214](#) Guardianship; review of Individualized Education Plan. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0

[SB 221](#) School boards and local law-enforcement agencies; memorandums of understanding, frequency of review. – PASSED the Senate, 40-0; referred to House Education

[SJ 15](#) Teacher licensing process; Department of Education to study. – reported from Rules; reported from Finance and Appropriations, 16-0